

**Bawden's Bakery Again Turning Out Excellent Oven Products**

Bawden's Bakery resumed business last Saturday—during the interval of three weeks since baking was suspended the bake shop has been thoroughly cleaned—floor—walls—ceiling and machinery. New bread troughs and tables have been installed and the bake oven re-lined. As a result of these efforts on the part of Mr. Bawden his oven products are again up to their usual high standard and are ample proof of the efficacy of the overhaul—Bawden's Bread is again the "Best Bread Obtainable."

During the past few days only a

limited quantity has been baked to oblige regular customers—next Saturday (March 1st) the bakery will commence full service to the town of Macleod—the wagon going on delivery Monday—Telephone calls to 132 will receive prompt attention and customers are guaranteed satisfaction or money refunded.

Saturday at Bawden's Shop tea, cake and sandwiches (the latter made from Bawden's famous bread) will be served from 2 p. m. to 6 p. m., and everyone in Macleod is urged to be present and satisfy themselves as to the superior quality of Bawden's Bake Shop Products.

**100th Anniversary Committee Plans For Big Jubilee**

A meeting of the Provisional Committee in connection with the proposed Jubilee of the Town was held on Monday evening, when a Programme was outlined which should

**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF ALBERTA****JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF MACLEOD.**

(Trial Division)

**BETWEEN—HENRY BROSIUS, PLAINTIFF, AND JOHN L. PERRAULT, DEFENDANT.**

**TO JOHN L. PERRAULT ESQ.—** TAKE NOTICE that pursuant to an order for service herein dated the 11th day of February A. D. 1924, you are hereby notified that an action has been brought against you for the recovery of title to the North-east quarter of section thirteen in township nine in range Twenty-seven West of the 4th meridian, in the Province of Alberta, pursuant to the terms of an agreement of sale dated the 30th day of October, A. D. 1913, and that in default of your entering a defence or Demand of Notice within thirty days from the last publication of this notice the relief prayed for will be granted the Plaintiff.

Approved this 11th day of February A. D. 1924.

A. M. MacDonald, Local Judge of the Supreme Court.

Joseph Hicks, Plaintiff's Solicitor, 51-2t

**CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING**

**HELP WANTED**—I want a good, reliable man to go into business for himself selling Rawleigh's Good Health Products to farmers around Cardston. Very little capital required. For particulars write A. J. Dersch, Macleod. 52-3tp245

**FOR RENT**—Fully furnished modern house on 26th St. between 2nd and 3rd Ave.—Queens Hotel. 51-1f

**FOR SALE**, Cockerels, Prize winners Macleod Fair. From heavy laying strains. Rhode Island Reds (Both Combs) \$3.50 S. C. White Leghorns \$3.00. D. F. White Macleod. 51-2t-1.20p.

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**FARM FOR SALE**—320 acres as a going concern, 130 broods, 60 summer fallowed ready for crop, all well fenced, necessary farm buildings, plenty of water, one mile to school and post office, fifteen miles south of Macleod, farm implements, horses, house furniture, price \$5000, \$1000 cash—balance crop payments. Apply Tom Gautier, Ardenville, Alberta. 50-4tp30

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**Shield Assured Headquarters****Highway Patrol to be at Macleod**

The bill passed second reading unanimously. Mr. Ross stated that the new maintenance patrol system to be tried out this year will provide for two patrols, each with a motor truck, and a crew of ten or eleven men.

These will be engaged dragging and keeping roads in shape, and when not doing this they will be engaged in hauling gravel and other construction work on main highways.

It is a system being used to advantage in other provinces and states and Alberta is going to give it a try out.

**Opposition Criticizes**

There was considerable criticism of the bill on the part of some of the opposition members, particularly Hon. Mr. Boyle and Hon. Mr. Mitchell. Mr. Boyle charged that the present government under two years had let the highways system fall into such a state of disrepair that they have to go out now and borrow three and a half millions to bring them back to an efficient state. He also charged that the highways committee of which H. G. Dimsdale was chairman for a year, had never functioned and this Act to get rid of it. Mr. Mitchell declared the bill was bad in principle because it proposed to take only from the Motor Vehicle Act, which is all now earmarked for roads and amounts to some 700,000 a year, and earmark half lost again for main highways.

The natural result would be that in five years, when this three and a half millions is exhausted, there would be another onslaught on the remainder of the Motor Vehicle Act money and the rest of it would go for main highways.

**DISASTROUS FIRE AT STAVELEY**

Staveley, Feb. 24.—Fire was discovered at two o'clock this morning in the vacant hotel here, and in spite of the efforts of a large number of men, it spread on both sides of the main business street, totally destroying sixteen places of business before it was checked. Loss is roughly estimated at \$150,000, partly covered by insurance. The following business buildings are a total loss:

W. R. Brand, groceries and dry goods.

Staveley Hotel.

Long Luke Restaurant.

Staveley Trading Co.

Ford Service Station, garage.

F. Fleming Pool Hall.

Canadian Bank of Commerce.

E. C. Webster, insurance.

Wm. Garrard, restaurant.

R. A. Hopkins, insurance.

R. A. Hopkins, insurance, Municipal District of Clear Lake office.

Mah Tong, restaurant.

Lim Dong, restaurant.

J. F. Crumley, hardware and furniture.

H. O. Walker, implements.

E. Overland, barber shop.

The timely arrival of two engines of the Calgary fire department prevented further spreading of the fire. The opinion is freely expressed that the fire was of incendiary origin.

**Insurance Adjusters Busy**

Staveley, Feb. 25.—Staveley, visited by the fire demon early Sunday morning, is today counting its losses. It is thought on closer check that the loss will cut closer to 200,000 than the original estimate of \$150,000. Insurance adjusters were busy this morning and good progress is being made in surveying the devastation caused by the conflagration, by far the greatest ever suffered by this town. It is believed that practically all the buildings destroyed carried some insurance.

The cause of the fire is still a mystery, but it is being whispered around the stricken town this morning that incendiaryism may prove to be responsible. Blackened ruins, fallen walls and gaunt chimneys are today grim reminders of the blaze that ate the heart out of the business district.

The fire is known to have originated in the Staveley hotel, a vacant building owned by the town. It was sighted about 2:30 Sunday morning, and when discovered the frame structure was a mass of flames. It burned for an hour before other buildings along the street took fire, but all efforts to stem the flames proved futile.

An S. O. S. call was sent to Calgary, and the fire department of that city responded, reaching the scene of the disaster at 6 o'clock. They left Calgary by special train at 4:30. The fire was then enveloping the whole business section and threatening to lay bare the entire settlement. Despite a nasty wind from the northwest and a limited volume of water, the firefighters had the flames under control at 6:30.

**Macleod Firemen Aided**

Macleod, Feb. 25.—While the firemen were busy on fire south of the C. P. R. Sunday morning, a call was received from Staveley and they drove up to assist with the chemical. As there was no water, little could be done. The damage to property was estimated at \$150,000. The Calgary fire brigade came to Staveley to help, and the two brigades did good service.

**Half Dozen Buildings Escape**

Calgary, Feb. 25.—One of the most disastrous fires in the history of Southern Alberta razed the entire business district of Staveley, 73 miles south of Calgary, to the ground at 2:30 o'clock Sunday morning, causing a property loss estimated at between \$175,000 and \$200,000.

The blaze was first fought by the town volunteer fire brigade and after two hours hard work they succeeded in keeping the fire from spreading to the residential district. Seventeen buildings, practically the whole business district, was razed before the fire was placed under control. Less than half a dozen buildings escaped the fury of the flames.

The biggest room in the world is the room for improvement.

**Shield Assured Headquarters****Highway Patrol to be at Macleod**

Macleod and District Board of Trade wired W. H. Shield as follows on Tuesday, Feb. 26:

"Macleod, Feb. 26, 1924.

"W. H. Shield, M.L.A.  
"Government Buildings,  
"Edmonton, Alberta.

"To day's issue Lethbridge Herald gives report Lethbridge be headquarters motor patrol system improvement of main highways. We protest on the grounds that Macleod is logical centre at junction of four motor trails and should be headquarters. Tourists traffic considerably heavier between Crow's Nest and Lethbridge than east of Lethbridge and work could be more exp-

pediently handled from this point. Request you interview Minister of Public Works and endeavour to have location changed. Advise outcome.—Macleod Board of Trade,  
H. C. Winter, Secretary."

On Wednesday morning Mr. Shield phoned Secretary Winter that he had interviewed the Minister of Public Works that morning and as a result felt assured that the headquarters for the Highways Maintenance Patrol would be at Macleod.

To say the least this is gratifying and is an additional credit mark to the many being earned by the Board of Trade.

**EMPRESS THEATRE****CURRENT ATTRACTIONS**

**WILLIAM S. HART IN "WILD BILL HICKOK" WILL DELIGHT FANS**

Famous Paramount Star Returns to Screen after Retirement of Two Years

William S. Hart in "Wild Bill Hickok," directed by Clifford S. Smith, is an announcement that will have familiar ring to the motion picture world. In the good old days, beginning in 1914, Clifford S. Smith directed this famous star in no less than forty-five pictures. Twenty-two of these were two-reelers and twenty-three were five-reel features. These were the Western productions that made Bill Hart world-famous as the king of Western heroes.

Few theatregoers have forgotten "The Aryan." Many critics still refer to this picture as one of the best ever screened. The following Western memories are awakened by "The Disciple," "Hell's Hinges" and "The Apostle of Vengeance."

With the return of William S. Hart to the screen under contract to make nine specials for Paramount release, the star has formed a new organization, which however, is composed almost entirely of old Hart star-stays. Entrusting the direction of his future productions to his successful co-worker of early days, he has again hit upon an ideal combination as Smith is ranked a leader in the making of Western pictures.

"Wild Bill Hickok" marks the director's debut for Paramount release. It will be shown at the Empress Theatre next Wednesday and Thursday. Ethel Grey Terry plays opposite Mr. Hart and heads an excellent supporting cast. The feature is said to be one of the most thrilling of Mr. Hart's long repertoire.

**ROMANTIC IS STORY OF CALAMITY JANE NEW HART HEROINE**

Famous Frontier Character Was Deeply in Love With "Wild Bill Hickok"

American history is rich with the romance of pioneer-spirited women and some of the brightest pages of the colorful story of the old west are woven of the red and gold of the courage of womanhood.

Bret Harte immortalized Salome Jane, but no writer has so fully brought to life the greatest of the feminine figures of the period, Calamity Jane. The story of this woman, who was thrown adrift alone in the turbulence of a raw frontier, is most romantic. Varied stories of Calamity Jane's origin and career are told. She was the daughter of a soldier named Dalton, who was discharged from the army and settled 120 miles from Fort Laramie, Wyo. One day Sioux Indians raided the country, killing Dalton and wounding his wife, who however, was able to escape with her baby and reach Fort Laramie where she died. The child was adopted by a soldier and his wife, who prefixed the name "Calamity" to the Jane because of the travail she had known.

Calamity Jane became a warm friend of Wild Bill Hickok, the famous peace officer and greatest gunman man the west ever knew. All the gentleness of her woman's love was expressed in her love for this man. She lived for many years in various towns and mining camps. She finally drifted to Deadwood, broken in body and spirits, and here she died on the same day and month, and the same hour, that Wild Bill Hickok was assassinated thirty years before. Her dying request was that she be buried by the side of Wild Bill, and her wish was granted.

The flashing personality of this remarkable woman is portrayed by Ethel Grey Terry in William S. Hart's Paramount production of "Wild Bill Hickok," which comes to the Empress Theatre for two days beginning next Wednesday. "Wild Bill Hickok" is vividly told by Mr. Hart himself, and vividly tells the story of the most picturesque of all the old time two gun men. Too, it brings to the screen faithful portrayals of such romantic figures as Bat Masterson, the famous sheriff of Dodge City Kansas, played by Jack Gardner; Jack McQueen, the notorious badman, characterized by James Farley, and many other characters famous in western history.

**INNOCENT MAN EXECUTED. SCIENCE RESTORES HIS LIFE**

A play fraught with meaning for the entire world comes to the

**whole matter of small debt legislation with a view of making it possible to sue for debt of \$100 or under in primary courts was likewise withdrawn.****DRUG RESTORING LIFE IN BASIS OF NEW FILM DRAMA**

The thing scientific men have disagreed over for the past year, adrenalin, which brings dead people back to life, is the guiding plot idea of "Legally Dead," The Universal all star motion picture coming to the Empress Theatre next Friday and Saturday.

There has been such an agitation in the newspapers and scientific journals during the past year over the asserted qualities of adrenalin, and cases of people absolutely pronounced dead by physicians and then restored to life by adrenalin have been so authentic that the theory of its wonderful qualities has become known to the world and seemingly proved.

"Legally Dead" was written by Charles Furthmann, associate of Raymond L. Schrock, scenario editor at Universal City. Furthmann not only has been a close student of adrenalin, but was for fifteen years a crime investigator. Since the underworld and prison life figure strongly in his story this experience should be reflected in the atmospheric touches of the plot.

Of course a story of this type, exploiting a thing so dramatic in itself as adrenalin, would necessarily be intensely dramatic.

Milton Sills and Claire Adams have the principal roles.

**PARLIAMENT OPENS THURSDAY ADDED POMP AND SPLENDOR**

Ottawa, Feb. 25.—(Canadian Press)—Added pomp and circumstances will mark the opening of parliament on Thursday. The parliament buildings have been in the hands of workmen for weeks past, cleaning and preparing. In the senate chamber, His Excellency, the Governor-General, will stand beneath a new velvet canopy, specially made in England, when he reads the speech from the throne. In the commons pages will wear new uniforms.

Parliamentary plans sometimes have a habit of running astray, but Thursday's proceedings will in all probability be brief. Members of the commons will meet in their own chamber where the gentleman usher of the black rod will summon them to the bar of the senate. There, headed by their speaker, they will hear the speech from the throne returning to the commons chamber immediately afterward. New members will be introduced and reports tabled. Then, carrying out the old formality, the premier will introduce a bill respecting the oaths of office. It is a purely pro forma document, nothing will be heard of it again. But session after session it is solemnly introduced before the speech from the throne is considered for thus the commons, year after year, assert their right to conduct business prior to that of the crown.

Following this preliminary business, the house will adjourn till Monday for the debate on the address. The address in reply to the speech from the throne will be moved by F. L. Kelly, Liberal member for North Cape Breton, and seconded by E. A. Lapierre, Liberal member for Nipissing. After that will come the speeches of the three party leaders and the battle will begin.

**TAKE SATCHEL WITH \$32,000**

Vancouver, Feb. 22.—Masked bandits held up and robbed Imperial Bank messengers of \$32,000 at noon today on Granville street.

K. Anderson, manager of the Fairview branch of the Imperial Bank, accompanied by a messenger, was proceeding in an automobile from the main bank to the branch. Three masked men who had been following in another car, at the corner of Drake and Granville streets, leaped onto the running board of the bank car, fired three shots into the air, and made off with the satchel containing the money.

The bandits were in a larger auto, which had been following the bank car through the city streets, and gradually edged upon it, forcing the smaller car towards the curb. Another auto was parked near the sidewalk, and to avoid a collision the manager was forced to come to a stop. The moment this was done two masked men sprang from the larger car, one carrying a revolver and the other a sawed-off shotgun. They at-

**HOUSE DISCUSSES MORTGAGE LOAN SITUATION**

Edmonton, Feb. 26.—Members of the legislature on Tuesday afternoon spent practically the whole session in discussing the mortgage loan situation in the province.

Hon. C. R. Mitchell introduced a resolution asking that in view of the withdrawal of many lenders from the province, a select standing commission of the public be named to investigate the whole situation, with power to call witnesses, and to report to the house at the present session.

Premier Greenfield refused, and in doing so he issued a statement which he laid on the table asking that it be inserted in the journals of the house.

Just prior to the adjournment of the debate by Lorne Proudfoot, Farmer, Acadia, Hon. Mr. Boyle rose to a point of order and asked the speaker whether such a statement as the premier's, setting forth a member's view on a question under debate, could be inserted in the journals.

**Rules Against Premier**

The speaker ruled against the premier in the matter.

Only one other matter was dealt with during the session. That was the resolution of E. G. Tobin, Liberal, asking that the law be so amended that justices of the peace could try small debt cases up to \$100, instead of \$50 as now. After some debate and a statement of Attorney-General Brownlee, the resolution was withdrawn. An amendment by Geo. McLachlan, Farmer, Pembina, asking the government to canvass the

**Reeve Bright Municipal District****Won Closely Contested Election**

The election campaign in District No. 2, of the Bright Municipality was a lively one all day Saturday, Feb. 23. From the time the poll opened until 5 p.m., the closing hour, votes and teams were kept busy bringing the voters to the polling booth, and not one voter was overlooked. When the votes were counted at 5 o'clock

it was found that 103 had cast their votes, 52 for Mr. and Mrs. Brown, 51 for Mr. and Mrs. Green. The election was won by a margin of two votes. Events had proved to the voters in the past that he looked after their interests, and is now in the position of looking after their interests for another term.

**RANCHING INDUSTRY HIT HARD BY TAXES**

Edmonton, Feb. 23.—Something must be done to save the ranching industry in the short grass country of Southern Alberta, Premier Greenfield and members of his cabinet were told on Saturday morning by a delegation representing the livestock men's protective association headed by A. E. Cross of Calgary, and Mr. Stoughton of Medicine Hat. They sought a reduction in taxes on leased lands. The combination of provincial taxes now amounts to 3 1/2 cents per acre. They asked for a substantial reduction.

The premier listened very sympathetically, said the industry must be preserved, and promised a review of the whole situation at an early date.

**HIDE NOT THY LIGHT?**

Whether J. Edgar is shy, bashful, or otherwise, that is no reason whatever, why Macleod people should not know of the splendid work he is accomplishing with the Macleod Band. Never before in the history of this town has there been such a fine musical aggregation organized, and it seems more like a miracle to see Mr. Edgar now conducting a brass band of thirty instruments, each performer being a first class musician.

If you are lovers of music, if you have a longing to hear a first class band play over some first class selection, take a meander down to the town hall any Monday or Thursday evening, and we feel sure you'll get a pleasant surprise in the way of band music and performance.

Mr. Edgar who is the conductor of this splendid band, is worthy of every praise for the results he has accomplished, and Macleod and Macleod people should not forget to hand a little praise now and then where it is due. Remember this a first class band of 30 artists is one of the big-gets boasts a town can have, and its up to Macleod people to waken up and appreciate some of the efforts that are being done for the town in quiet unassuming way.

Business neglected is often lost.

**DISSENSION IN RANKS OF LABOR**

London, Feb. 23.—Anti-government politicians and newspapers are making much of the difficulties of the government's position in parliament as shown this week, first when its defeat owing to the pacifist expressions of the under secretary for air, William Leach, was averted by the speaker, second, when its admission to the late government's cruiser program aroused the protests among the labor rank and file and it only triumphed through the support of the Conservatives.

On the second occasion about 25 laborites refused to vote on behalf of the government and one voted against it. The hostile newspapers declare that the dissatisfaction among the laborites with what they regard as the government's concessions to militarism manifest in its adoption of the air force and cruiser schemes of the late administration is growing so rapidly that a crisis may be expected, and they predict that the government will not last beyond midsummer.

The fact that Premier MacDonald is having some of the doubt of Clydesdale, his guests over the week end at Chequers Court is interpreted by these papers as an attempt to quite the mutinous spirits "by Sabbath talks under the disarming influences of the rural comforts and feasters," which Chequers affords.

Another critical juncture is foreseen in the house of commons next Tuesday when debate occurs on the Liberal motion condemning "populism" or the policy of greater liberality in dealing with the unemployment allowances. It is declared that if the Liberals refuse to compromise, the government is bound to be beaten, but there is a growing opinion that Mr. Asquith, the Liberal leader, and his followers are less keen about the question than when he issued his recent ultimatum and that the point may not be pressed to the extreme.

**COMING EVENTS**

**FORESHADOWED****MACLEOD WOLF CURS**

An Entertainment on behalf of the Funds of the Pack will be given in Christ Church Parish Hall on Monday evening March 3rd at 8 p.m. The Programme will consist of an illustrated Lecture on the Construction of the Flood Damage to the Works of the Lethbridge Northern Irrigation District, followed by a Drill Display and Musical numbers. Admission 25c.

The Macleod Women's Institute will hold a Pussy Willow Tea and Pantry Sale at the home of Mrs. R. W. Russell, on Friday March 7th from 3 to 6 o'clock. 52-1t

Don't forget the Bebekeh Card Party and Dance, Oddfellows Hall, Tuesday March 4th. Admission 50c. You'll enjoy this evening.

The R. C. Ladies Aid will not hold the one of their home cooking sales scheduled for March 8th. 52-1t

**DEATH OF FORMER MACLEOD RESIDENT**

Last week at Calgary the death took place of Mrs. Lancaster, beloved wife of Arthur Warrington Lancaster of that city.

The deceased lady and her husband had lived for many years in Macleod, and Macleod district. Mr. Lancaster was for several years assistant clerk of the supreme court here, also he was engaged as stenographer at the Blood Indian Agency, which position he resigned to go overseas.

The late Mrs. Lancaster was born in England, and had lived in Canada for a number of years. She is survived by her husband, two sons, Wavell and Kenneth, and one daughter Eileen aged 14 years.

During her residence in Macleod the deceased lady made many friends who will regret to hear of her death. She was an active worker in church work, and always took part in any charity organization or relief work, during the war.

**FRIDAY-SATURDAY**—February 29th and March 1st.—**CLAIRE ADAMS** the Calgary Star and **MILTON SILLS** in—**"LEGALLY DEAD"**

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**EMPIRE CONCERT**

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 Minimum charge ..... 25c  
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 Notices of marriages, Births, Deaths, and cards of thanks, each..... \$1.00

All classified and transient advertising must be paid in advance.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28th, 1924

**THE CRIME OF CUT-THROAT COMPETITION**

A story has been told that shows how the predatory, cut-throat competition passes through various stages of wild-eyed absurdity before finally losing itself in that fathomless sea of commercial disaster—bankruptcy. This story can surely be regarded as illustrative of a certain phase of the retail trade.

Several years ago a store in a certain town bore above its window a sign reading "The Cheapest Store". The proprietor, who did not encounter much competition in his immediate neighbourhood, continued to plod along until one fine day he awoke and discovered that a competitor had established himself just across the

**AUCTION SALE**

Having received instructions from M. R. Matheson, I will sell at Public Auction, at his farm on the South-West Quarter Section 4-11-25, W. 4, being 6 miles east of Granum and 2 miles east and 10 miles north of Macleod, the following Stock, Machinery, Etc., on

THURSDAY, MARCH 6th, 1924

Sale starts at 10 o'clock a.m. sharp. Lunch at Noon.

**HORSES**—34 head; weight 1,150 to 1,600 lbs. These horses are nearly all broke to work and are in good shape.

**CATTLE**—One milk cow and calf. One three-year-old Shorthorn cow registered. One two-year-old Shorthorn heifer, registered. One 7-month-old Shorthorn bull calf. Three calves rising 1-year-old.

**HOGS**—Two Berkshire sows, due to farrow about April 1st. One Berkshire boar.

**A quantity of HENS.**

**MACHINERY**—A comprehensive line of farm implements and machinery—wagons, binders, tractor, drills, plows, etc.

**FURNITURE**—A small quantity.

**TERMS**—Cash on all articles except horses. Horses half cash, balance on lien note due Nov. 1, 1924, with interest at 8% per annum.

M. R. MATHESON, Proprietor.  
 R. L. HACKETT, Auctioneer.

**AUCTION SALE**

Having received instructions from the undersigned, A. Weaver, I will sell by Public Auction at his farm, South-East Quarter Section 29-9-27, W. 4th—being 11 miles north-west of the Town of Macleod, the following Stock, Machinery, Etc.:  
 MONDAY, MARCH 10th, 1924  
 commencing at 1 o'clock p.m., sharp.

**HORSES**—One bay gelding, 5 yrs. old, weight 1,400 lbs. One brown mare weight about 1,200. One saddle mare. One black mare, 2 years old, weight 1,400. One bay gelding, 9 years old, weight 1,550.

**CATTLE**—One milk cow, fresh; 4 calves.

**MACHINERY**—A general line of regular farm equipment.  
 A quantity of fence posts, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

**TERMS—CASH**  
 A. WEAVER, Proprietor.  
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street. The intruder had had the temerity to hang up a very large sign on which was painted the legend "The Cheapest Store in This Town." The first merchant blinked his eyes at the sign, but determining not to be outdone by the new-comer, he had his own sign changed to read "The Cheapest Store in the State," and at the same time he reduced the prices on all his goods, with the idea of driving his competitor away from that locality, and hoping to make a quick and thorough job of it.

The new man, however, did not let that bother him. Putting up a sign which read "The Cheapest Store in the Entire Country," he also reduced the prices of all his goods and to levels much below his competitor's.

But the first merchant was not to be routed so easily. He called his place "The Cheapest Store on Earth" and offered a five per cent. discount from the already greatly reduced prices of his goods, to all those who would trade in his place.

Did the second man close up his shop and move away? Not he. He simply changed the sign above his show window to read "The Cheapest Store in the Universe" and offered a ten per cent. discount from his also reduced prices.

By this time, both storekeepers had practically exhausted themselves financially, to say nothing of the fact that it would speedily become necessary for one or the other to think of something new to put on his sign.

But the original merchant was not yet ready to acknowledge defeat, even though it was impossible to conceive of any larger sphere of action than was comprised in a "universe".

At last, after much laborious thought, he conceived the brilliant idea of calling his establishment "The Cheapest Store on This Street," as the same time continuing his cut-price-and-discount policy. This brought matters somewhat nearer home again, and the other man had a suspicion that by comparison he would appear somewhat ridiculous with his pretentious announcement about his store being "the cheapest in the universe".

While he was casting about for something new to paint on his sign, he reduced his prices still more, just to keep things at an interesting pitch—which action his competitor met by a still greater reduction.

The following week both merchants went bankrupt.

What is competition and what is its purpose? Should it aim at the destruction of other merchants or manufacturers? For the matter of that, should competition aim at the destruction of anything or anybody—commercial, industrial, social, scholastic, athletic or otherwise? The dictionary defines the word competition, in part, as a "common contest" and also as "the striving for the same object".

**A PROPHET OF EVIL**

'Professor Raymond,' mysterious Hungarian seer, who predicted the death of President Harding, the Japanese earthquake and the occupation of the Ruhr, now comes to bat with a prophecy that between 1942 and 1946 the Oriental races will win a war against the Anglo-Saxon peoples on this continent.

The "professor" surely did not need

his magic crystal to make that prophecy.

Those misguided people both here and in the United States who perpetuate their prejudice against the Oriental are rushing along a war as fast as they can.

Only complete understanding and trading unity can keep nations of different blood from fighting. With our goods going into Oriental markets and our universities filled with Oriental students, learning our ways, war can be postponed indefinitely.

Another prophecy graciously vouchsafed by the "professor" is that in a few years Great Britain will be reduced from a world empire to a small island nation in a losing conflict against continental countries.

Unless British capitalists realize the hopelessness of the European market and transfer their operations to points on the Pacific, that will probably be the case. The empire will have to function as a commercial organization if it is to endure.

Professor Raymond seems to be a dealer in the obvious.

**OVER-EATING VS. OVER-DRINKING**

Liquor is said by official figures from Washington to have caused 2467 deaths in the United States during 1923.

It is a terrible toll. And had the American government not spent millions to prevent the drinking of harmful liquor it would have been still more terrible.

But for every 10 persons that died from over-drinking during 1923, 100 died from over-eating.

If it is worth while to spend a million dollars to cut down the death rate caused by injudicious drinking, it would be just as worth while to spend ten million dollars to cut down the death rate caused by injudicious eating.

Before another century is past, one of the prime functions of government will be to see that the people are properly educated in the science of living and that at least as much money is spent on keeping people from eating themselves to death as is spent on keeping them from drinking themselves to death.

**MAKING MAMMON SERVE GOD**

One up-to-date church on Broadway, New York, has laid plans for a combination church and bank building. One part of the structure will be used by the church, while a trust company has leased the other part.

The experiment of housing God and Mammon under the same roof will at least be interesting.

It is written that no man can serve both God and Mammon.

But the enterprising officers of this church seem to have devised a plan for making Mammon serve God.

It has long been an axiom that there should be more religion in business. Practical men today reverse that axiom and say there should be more business in religion.

And there doesn't appear to be any reason why they should not.

**SOCIAL MISCONCEPTIONS AND CRIME**

News stories tell of a 22-year-old

**"A Mass of Sores—No Sleep—Unhappy Days"**

Writes Mrs. Dr. H. J. Harvey of Louisville, Ky., R. R. 3: "I suffered with sores until the first of May. Then I used a bottle of D. D. D. AT ONCE MY FACE GOT BETTER. I used half a bottle only and have been entirely well ever since."

**D. D. D.**  
 Lotion for Skin Diseases

Parisian girl who, feeling she could not marry without the required "dot," set out to acquire that "dot" through burglary and theft.

Only a trained psychologist could tell just how much crime is directly attributable to social misconceptions such as the "dot" system in France.

And reformers who have advocated many drastic measures for reducing crime would do well to study the subject from that angle.

Instead of planning to cut out the crime potentialities in the human mind, better results will be obtained by cutting out the vicious social customs that make those potentialities active.

**THE WAY TO PERPETUAL PEACE**

In the next war the diplomat and parliamentary members must all go to the front line and remain there until they have made the supreme sacrifice. Those who make war should go to war.

Afterwards we may send others to be happily killed to wipe out the stain on our honour.

But first let the men who in defence or defence are the cause of war, pay the penalty.

Poor Poincaré, in France, will soon be thrown in the dust heap, for his occupation of German Territory will not reduce taxation in France. An enlargement of boundaries in any country or municipality usually increases the per capita tax.

Big countries are not as happy as little ones, just as the merging steel companies in Canada are being unhappily managed—for their shareholders.

**SCHOOL FAIR**

The committee appointed to prepare the prize list for the School Fair, are now busy getting the list into shape. Last year there were a large number of special prizes offered for work done by the boys and girls. The secretary, R. J. E. Gardiner will be pleased to receive offers of special prizes for this year's list.

from any one who is willing to encourage the kiddies in their work at the fair. The list will be ready for the printer in about a week.

Actor—My good woman, the last place I stayed the landlady wept when I left.

Landlady—Oh, did she? Well, I ain't going to. I want my money in advance.

**MACLEOD'S SMALL FIRE TOLL**

Macleod has established a record for minimum fire losses during the past six years:

In 1921 there were eight calls, leaving a loss of property of \$5,200, one being an empty house beyond the water limit, of \$3,000 value. In 1922 there were seven calls, with a loss of \$3,000, a vacant house constituting \$1,000 of this while in 1923 ten calls were made, loss \$7,500. During the past six years the business loss from fire was only \$3,500.

Doubtless this small fire loss may be attributed to the efficiency of Macleod's Fire Brigade in conjunction with the town's excellent, up-to-date fire fighting equipment—at all events property loss from fire in Macleod during the past few years is phenomenally low, and would seem to justify exceedingly low fire insurance rates.

**HE WANTED A FORD**

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 26—When Brigadier-General Smedley D. Butler of the U. S. Marine Corps swooped down on this Quaker City in his vice clean-up, he was aided and abetted by an armoured Ford roadster, which he bought with an appropriation furnished him by the Philadelphia City Fathers.

When the general conferred with the Mayor and other city officials, after being loaned to the city by President Coolidge, he was told that he would be given \$5,000, with which to purchase an automobile to aid him in his spectacular clean-up which has attracted international attention. Butler promptly refused the \$5,000 with—

"Give me just enough to buy a Ford roadster. That is what I want. I want a sturdy car that will get me there and back. I know what this

make of car can do. It is just what I need."

In less than five days after he was given his armoured Ford car, Butler had turned Philadelphia from a wide-open city into a virtual Quaker Town, and "Old Gimlet Eye," as the famous Marine General is known, is now contemplating the purchase of several more armoured Fords for his men to use in Philadelphia and suburbs.

"The clean-up has just begun," said Butler today. He was visibly tired but full of fire when he reached his office this morning in his brand new Ford roadster equipped with its bullet-proof armour plate.

**NOT A LIFE SENTENCE**

A party of visitors was being shown through the penitentiary by the warden. As they approached a gang of trustees at work in the yard, one of the party recognized an old acquaintance, a negro from his home town.

"Why, Jim, I didn't know you were here," said he. "What are you doing in the penitentiary?"

"Well, Suh," said Jim, "I had some words wid a nigger down on de C. and O. docks; and in de ruckus, I leaned a crowbar up against him. An', don't you know dat nigger took an' laid down an' died?"

"That's too bad," said his friend. "I suppose you were charged with murder. Did they put you in far a life sentence?"

"No, Suh," said Jim, "not no life sentence; jus' fun now on."

**SMOKING GOOD FOR HUSBANDS**

The contented wife will tell you that she likes to see her husband smoke because she knows it makes him happy.

A customer offended is harder to be won than a strong city.

**R. N. W. M. POLICE VETERANS' ANNUAL MEETING**

The annual meeting of the North West Mounted Police Veterans' association was held Thursday, Feb. 21st, when the reports for the past year were laid on the table of the orderly room and the various orders for the day were read and posted. Business was discussed, particularly that of the jubilee of the town of Macleod and the arrival of that noted body of which each man present had been a member.

The decision arrived at was that as soon as the Board of Trade decides on a plan of action, this association stands ready to help, the roll call proved that the majority of the ex-N. W. M. Police in the district were enrolled as members.

The election of officers took place at the close: J. S. Lambert, president; S. Heap, Vice-pres.; J. Ryan, secretary; committee—D. J. Grier, H. Dowson, T. Stockton, A. Alexander and S. Heap.

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## CAPITAL GOSSIP AND PROV. NEWS

**Coal Production in 1923**  
Total coal production in Alberta for 1923 was 6,866,923 tons, compared with 5,976,432 tons in 1922. Of the 1923 production, a total of 1,382,788 tons was for consumption in the prov-

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## TOWNS AND CITIES GET SHORT END

Edmonton, Feb. 22.—Farmer members of the Alberta legislature had the old steam roller all steamed up on Friday afternoon to flatten the towns and cities in the matter of distribution of the liquor act profits, and before the machine could get in action Attorney-General Brownlee intervened and held over the clauses dealing with division of profits until the second consideration of the bill.

Under the act as now drafted the profits are to be distributed 65 per cent, to the government and 35 per cent, to the municipalities, the division among the municipalities to be made on the basis of the supplementary revenue tax. As the rural parts of the province are assessed on a basis of \$600,000,000 as against \$100,000,000 for the cities and towns under this tax, it means that the urban centres would get only one-seventh of any divided profits though according to the last census the urban population was one-third of the total. As Mr. Bowen, member for Edmonton, put it, one-third of the people would get one-seventh of the profits which he declared was "manifestly unfair."

After the debate had waxed hot for nearly an hour, and after a motion by Mr. Bowen that it be stood over, and his motion was adopted, the committee reversing its decision. It was readily evident, however, that the Farmer members were very anxious to pass the clause as it stands and secure the lion's share of the profits. Only one Farmer member gave the city members any support and that was Alex Moore of Cochrane, who suggested that the division of profits be made on the basis of the share of liquor business done in each municipality. The only applause came from the opposition and cross benches.

**Bringing the "Bait"**  
Rather important announcement to hunters and fishermen was made during the session by Attorney-General Brownlee in answer to a question by Mr. Tobin. According to the act it is unlawful to have liquor in a public place. Mr. Tobin wanted to know how the "bait" could be taken on a fishing party. Mr. Brownlee suggested that the act provided for special permits. This brought a laugh from the members and a sigh of relief from Mr. Tobin.

The act, which went into committee last Monday, was finally all considered after five days strenuous application, but it was not reported out of committee as there are a large number of very important matters still to be considered and clauses to be redrafted. Mr. Brownlee stated that the reported bill will be brought back about next Wednesday with all the hold over clauses in final shape.

## He Suffered From Sciatica Three Years

Mr. Bert Hopper, of 264 Ryding Ave., Toronto, Found Genuine Relief in Drexco. Join Others in Praises of This Marvelous Body Builder

Kidney trouble, biliousness, loss of sleep and poor appetite were the incidental ailments from which Mr. Bert Hopper of Toronto suffered in connection with three years of torturing sciatica, rheumatism. Three bottles of Drexco have brought about a wonderful change—have given him the first relief Mr. Hopper has had in those three years.

"I have a better appetite, sleep better, have no limp, have no pains through my body and my general condition is greatly improved," says Mr. Hopper.

Previous to this Mr. Hopper complained of loss of vitality, irregular and disturbed sleep, lameness, and pains in the side. In short, his condition was that of a man whose body was racked by pain and run-down. Now all his distressing complaints have gone. Where other remedies tried by him failed in their purpose, Drexco brought about a condition of improved health.

"Since taking three bottles of this splendid body builder," he says, "I have received such relief as to convince me of its outstanding merits. I feel sure it will bring the same results to everyone who has suffered as I have. I was sore and stiff, my liver was lazy and I often felt dizzy and light headed and was nervous at all times. My sleep was broken and I failed to get the rest I needed."

"In three weeks I have been greatly relieved by Drexco and the pains through my body have disappeared. My entire system is in a better condition than it has been for months. Drexco has done wonders for me and I gladly join others in praising it."

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and with the amendments so far made included and another couple of days then will put act through.

Monday and Tuesday will be taken up with the second readings and debates on the Church Union Bill and the Highways Act.

**Features Not Settled**  
Matters stood over in the Liquor Act which have yet to be decided by the house include, among other things the important questions of definition of a club; municipal areas; residence; the kind and quantities of liquor purchased; the hours vendors' stores are to be open; who will issue permits; dining car licenses; sale of flavoring extracts; deliveries by breweries; the import and tax on beer not manufactured in the province; what constitutes a public place where liquor may be consumed; the five per cent. sales tax on beer; the advertising clauses; right of search without warrant; compelling an accused person to testify against himself and the penalty clauses generally, and the knottiest of all the problems still unsettled which is the distribution of the profits. This is a fairly tall order and the Liquor Act is therefore a considerable distance from being complete.

The fight over the distribution of the profits occupied the greater part of the session and overshadowed all other matters.

## NO DEMAND FOR FIRE STEEDS

St. Thomas, Ont., Feb. 26.—An effort to sell a team of gray horses belonging to the Fire Department here by auction in Horton Square Market was unsuccessful. The highest bid received for these one fiery steeds, after a shrewd auctioneer had exhausted his powers of persuasion for some minutes, was \$170. The Fire Department, however, had made a reserve bid of \$200.00 and the team of horses was lead back to the Fire Department and will be used by the Board of Works Department.

The horses were "all dolled up" and handsomely groomed for the occasion, even to the "powdering" of their hoofs, but all to no avail.

The introduction of motor propelled equipment made the sale of the horses necessary.

In contrast to the desultory bidding for the first team, the offers received for several used Ford cars placed on the auction block. Brisk bidding was the rule and the prices were unusually high. It is all further evidence that the motorized and Fordized world still depends on speed with economy and safety.

## DOING ITS DUTY

The Cathedral had been gayly decorated for the Christmas services and two Irishmen were visiting it. One was from the country, and had been taken there by his friend who wished him to be duly impressed by its grandeur. As they came out, the resident of the city said: "Well, Mike, and phwat do you think of it? Isn't it grand?" "Pat," said the one from the country, "It bates the devil!" "That," said his friend, "was the intention."

## OLD ROADS

By G. S. B.  
If you turn west from the sunken river,  
And toil through the trees up the mountainside,  
You will come upon traces of old roads, fashioned  
By folk that long ago lived and died.

Here are the stones of their leaf-choked sluiceways.  
And here are the tracks that their wheels have worn,  
And the broken spans of their rotted bridges.

Amid a tangle of weed and thorn.  
They wind on, these roads, past roof-trees fallen;  
Past cairnlike chimneys, forsaken and cold;  
Past unpruned orchards where yet in August  
The harvest apples hang out their gold.

Where by these roads now the tireless fowler,  
Seeking for grouse, through the thickets many stray,  
Men once went trudging with cumbersome flint-locks,  
Bound for a muster or training day.

Along these roads to the springtime sowing  
With a whistle men strode in days gone by;  
Now the only music amid the stillness  
Is a hidden woodbird's grieving cry.

There, round the hearths that were home for some one,  
Cling lilacs in riot and matted grass;  
There where the haymakers passed at sundown,  
The shy, wild shapes of the forest pass.

## RED CROSS ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual Meeting of the Provincial Division of the Red Cross Society was held at Government Buildings on Friday 16th, with His Hon. Lieut-Gov. Brett in the chair. There was a large attendance of Red Cross members, delegates from rural branches, and the general public.

The Reports of the Executive showed remarkable progress made during the past year in spite of the great handicap of limited finance.

Some of the main points emphasized were the development of the work of the Junior Red Cross, and the maintenance of the sick Children's Hospital at Calgary and the health service for children. The Provision of Rural Nursing service, especially in isolated districts; the training of women in the knowledge of Home Nursing and Hygiene; the maintenance of emergency and disaster-relief stations to cope with accidents, epidemics, etc.

"The whole development turns on the question of finance" said the re-

## HOW THE FEUD STARTED

Before there were Pineapples, Peaches or Plums,  
The Dog and the Cat were Companions and Chums.

(They lived in a Highly Respectable Grotto,  
Where "God Bless Our Home" was their Favorite Motto.)

The Dog had a Parchment, a Parchment had he,  
Proclaiming his Right to be Happy and Free.

(This Charter was signed by the Patriarch Noah,  
And Witnessed in Form by the Goat and the Boar.)

The Dog went a-hunting on Mount Ararat;  
The Parchment he left in the Care of the Cat.

(His Trust in the Cat was Complete and Abiding,  
The Dog, then as ever, was Much Too Confiding.)

The Cat, who was always a Rover in Soul,  
Grew bored with the Cavern and went for a Stroll.

(Beguiled by the Song of the Birds in the Bowers,  
He ambled and rambled for Hours and Hours.)

Then out from their Crannies the Most People creep,  
And Lunched on the Parchment that Puss should have kept!

(They flocked with their Children, their Nephews and Nieces;  
They shredded the Charter and ate up the Pieces.)

When Home came the Dog near the Close of the Day,  
The Last of his Freedom was whisking away!

(He leaped—but the Tails disappeared in a Flicker.  
The Dog may be Quick, but the Mouse Folk are Quicker.)

When Home stricken the Cat as the Twilight grew dim,  
The Dog paid the Utmost Attention to Him!

(The Cat, who is Climbing was always a Leader,  
Escaped by a Whisker and ran up a Cedar.)

So, seeking his Vengeance—and justly, at that—  
The Dog, through the Ages, still chases the Cat.

(The Cat, with Equivalent Justification,  
Has chosen the Mouse as his Favorite Ration.)

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port. In reviewing the past system of holding membership drives, the decision arrived at was that this was not satisfactory for various reasons. It was finally agreed that a better and more successful method would be to inaugurate one day in the year to be known as "Health Day" the date fixed to be October 31st, and to be kept as a permanent one, when in every district town and city an appeal would be made for the Red Cross. To each community will be allotted a quota, this to be raised by the people in whatever way they chose. Collecting boxes will also be placed in the homes of the people and on Red Cross or Health Day these would be opened.

In connection with the proposed new Department of Nursing Classes four points had been decided on for the experiment of these Health-Instruction Classes:—Wayne, Bowden, Three Hills and Lomond. The appointment of a public Health Nurse will be made immediately in this connection.

The Records show a senior membership of 13,317 and a Junior of 15,000. Total membership 28,317. The amount subscribed for Japanese relief was \$678.01.

The Following were elected to

office:—  
President His Hon. Lieut-Gov. Brett, Hon. Vice President Hon. Herb. Greenfield, Hon. Charles Stewart, First Vice Pres. and Hon. Secretary, Mrs. C. B. Waagen, 2nd Vice President, Major Stafford, Edmonton, 4th Vice President Mr. Hodgson, Lethbridge, 5th Vice President Alfred Wright, Altario, 6th Vice President Mrs. Broughton, Red Deer.

**ROD AND GUN FOR MARCH**  
The story of Three Yankee Hunters who came up from New York to have some hunting in New Brunswick is well described by Charles E. Williams of New York, one of the party, in the March issue of Rod and Gun in Canada, and all sportsmen will enjoy this narrative. For those who have never visited Jasper National Park, or for those who wish to renew their remembrance of this beauty spot, C. E. Trowbridge's well illustrated article on Jasper Park will be of particular interest. "Fishing on the Eastern Slope of the Rocky Mountains" is a good story by D. E. Elliott, while Bonnycastle Dale has a good account of moose hunting in Nova Scotia. In the Guns and Ammunition department, H. W. Fry and J. R. Mattern continue their good articles in the new series, while R. P. Lincoln, H. C. Mowley, J. W. Wilson, F. V. Williams and F. H. Walker have filled their various departments with interesting reading for the sportsman.

The March issue of Rod and Gun in Canada contains something to interest all lovers of hunting, fishing, shooting, and kennel interests, while there are articles dealing with many phases of outdoor life.

## VERY PARTICULAR

There are still conscientious folk about who carry conviction into the slightest detail.

A London bookseller had a letter from one of them recently, ordering a copy of Tennyson's poems, with the postscript: "Please do not send me one bound in calf, as I am a vegetarian."

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FOR SPRING AND SUMMER WEAR.  
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WEAVES. IT IS NOT TOO EARLY TO  
MAKE YOUR SELECTIONS NOW—  
WHILE THE ASSORTMENT IS COM-  
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WEEKLY SUPPLY ON FRIDAY  
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EST:

PALM OLIVE SOAP—3 Cakes ..... 25c  
PURE STRAWBERRY AND RASPBERRY JAM—  
4-lb. Pail ..... 90c  
PINK SALMON—Tall tins, 6 cans ..... \$1.00  
BURDICK'S MARMALADE—4-lb. pail ..... 85c  
ROYAL SHIELD JELLY POWDERS—5 Packages ..... 45c  
QUAKER CORN FLAKES—9 Packages ..... \$1.00  
CANNED RASPBERRIES AND STRAWBERRIES—  
Heavy Syrup, 3 tins ..... \$1.00  
PAULIN'S SODAS—Medium packet ..... 35c  
\$1.00 size for ..... 85c  
EXTRA LARGE GRAPE FRUIT—2 for ..... 25c  
SWIFT'S PURE LARD—3-lb. Pail ..... 58c  
STERLING PICKLES—Sweet or sour, large bottle ..... 49c  
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Delivery Hours: ..... 10.30 a.m. & 4.30 p.m.  
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### LOCAL AND PERSONAL NEWS

S. Heap was a business visitor to  
Lethbridge this week.

A. R. Macready, of Edmonton, was  
a business visitor to Town on Mon-  
day of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. MacMillan, of the  
Blood Agency, were visitors to Mac-  
leod on Saturday last.

The Rev. Cecil Swanson, of St.  
Augustine's, Lethbridge, will occupy  
the pulpit at St. Paul's Church on  
Sunday, March 2nd.

Evidently through some misunder-  
standing with the Lethbridge Bon-  
spiel management, or disagreement,  
the Stewart Curling Rink, that were  
doing so splendidly in the Lethbridge  
Bonspiel, last week forfeited their  
games, and returned to Macleod.

H. C. Winter was a visitor to  
Lethbridge last week and while there  
attended the Big Wrestling Bout at  
the Majestic Theatre. Mr. Winter is  
firmly of the opinion that Koloff,  
although the loser if the "go," is the  
best man.

The Whist drive and dance held at  
the Oddfellows Hall on Wednesday  
evening under the auspices of the  
A. F. & A. M. was a great success.  
The winners of the prizes were Mr.  
and Mrs. J. D. Matheson. After  
refreshments had been served dan-  
cing was indulged in until 1 a.m.

Looking backward over the Hall  
Insurance Returns of 1923 for the  
Province of Alberta, we find that  
private companies as a whole re-  
ceived in premiums approximately  
\$1,300,000 and paid out in losses over  
\$1,800,000, to say nothing of acqui-  
sition cost. Furthermore, we under-  
stand that awarded losses of the  
Municipal Hall Board amounted to  
well over \$2,000,000.

On Wednesday evening of this week  
a number of friends organized a  
surprise party to call on Mr. and Mrs.  
J. Gillespie, at whose home the  
impromptu visitors enjoyed a  
pleasant social evening indulging in  
progressive 500. Mrs. Gillespie  
carried off first honors among the  
ladies and T. Clarke was the winner  
in the gentlemen's division.  
The personnel of the guests was: Mr.  
and Mrs. W. Fleming, Mr. and Mrs.  
W. Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. S. Dickson,  
Miss Jensen, Miss M. Woods, Misses  
Mary and Florence Young, Miss M.

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think of right now who  
would like to have your pho-  
tograph?

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Off our Lace during February.  
Hundreds of patterns to choose  
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MISS A. M. WILSON

Big Beavers of best quality—and to  
follow: The big 50th Anniversary  
on July 1st, 2nd and 3rd.

Commissioner and Mrs. H. Hodder,  
while in Macleod were the guests of  
Mr. and Mrs. James Davey.

The Macleod Band are preparing  
for another knockout surprise enter-  
tainment next month. Watch for  
further particulars in this paper.

The tender of Phillip Chugg for  
the supplying of milk to the Macleod  
Hospital was accepted by the Hospital  
Board of Management—Delivery to  
commence March 1st.

#### MACLEOD WOLF CUBS

(Orders for week ending March 1st  
1924)

(1) Parades—Greys & Browns at  
4.1 to 5 p.m. Monday Feb. 25th. Reds  
& Tawnies at 7 p.m. on Tuesday Feb.  
26th. Whites & Blacks at 7 p.m. on  
Thursday Feb. 28th. Yellows at 7  
p.m. on Thursday Feb. 28th. Cubs  
must not appear at other Parades  
than for these as given above for  
their own Six.

(2) Attendance—The roll will be  
called each evening and those Cubs  
not able to attend must advise the  
Cubmaster beforehand, giving suf-  
ficient reason for their inability to  
attend.

(3) Badges—The cloth Badges al-  
ready issued to all Tenderpad Cubs  
must be sewn on to the left breast of  
the coat or jersey. Metal Badges  
for wear when not in uniform will be  
issued as soon as they are received  
from Provincial Headquarters, when  
the cloth badges must be removed  
and kept to place on the uniform  
when purchased.

(4) Promotion—Cub Frank Stew-  
art is hereby appointed to be Sixer of  
the Yellow Wolves.

(5) Tests—Capt. E. I. H. Ings, M.  
C. Canadian Machine Gun Corps, will  
examine the following Cubs in the  
first two Tests (Knots & Flags) for  
the First Star, on March 1st (Sat-  
urday)

White Wolves.  
Black Wolves.  
Grey Wolves.  
Brown Wolves.  
Red Wolves.

Tests will be held in the Cubs Drill  
Hall and Sixers will be notified of the  
time when their Six will be required  
to attend.

(6) Duty—Orderly Sixer for the  
Week, Jack Wood. Next for Duty,  
Sixer Jack Greenwood. Orderly  
Sixer must obtain the key of Drill  
Hall from the Cubmaster before all  
parades, lay and light fire if neces-  
sary, remove ashes and sweep out both  
rooms. He will be held responsible  
for the tidiness of the rooms during  
his week of Duty, and the manner in  
which he carries this out will be con-  
sidered when examining candidates  
for the Tasks Test.

F. S. Dyke.  
Act. Cubmaster.

#### Her First Game

She was at her first putt game.  
"You say it's a foursome when four  
play it," she queried.  
"Yes," sighed he of two seasons.  
"And for two?" she followed on.  
"Twosome."  
"And fore one—oh," she had it,  
"lonesome of course!" — Judge.

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#### SIR CHRISTOPHER WREN

(By Arthur Guiterman)

Sir Christopher Wren is completing a  
home  
Constructed of grasses and capped  
with a dome,  
Delightfully sheltered and strong as  
may be,  
For where is the architect abler than  
he?  
And Robin and Sparrow and Martin  
and Thrush  
Can read on that snug little camp in  
the brush  
In characters plain as though writ  
with a pen,  
"This house was designed by Sir  
Christopher Wren."

Sir Christopher Wren and his brisk  
Lady Jane  
Are whisking from dooryard and  
thicket and lane  
With fardels of Fairyland, load after  
load,  
And busily thatching their future  
abode  
And making it cozy with ravel and  
fluff,  
For soon in its walls there'll be  
children enough!  
Perhaps there'll be seven, quite pos-  
sibly ten;  
A family man is Sir Christopher  
Wren.

Sir Christopher Wren is a rollicking  
blade  
Who's never downhearted and never  
afraid.  
Who sings, as he flits like a runaway  
elf,  
A song that is five times as big as  
himself.  
Each flirt of his impudent, eloquent  
tail  
Declares that he's right and that  
Right will prevail.  
Then welcome to orchard and garden  
again  
True knight and good neighbor, Sir  
Christopher Wren!

### EMPRESS THEATRE---MACLEOD

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great number of men do not know that we carry a large  
stock at lowest cut prices of Underwear, Socks, etc.

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we will dress a window especially for you of Boots and Shoes  
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#### FIVE DOLLARS

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that can't be re-ordered, and we anticipate that you will  
clean these out at this phenomenally low figure. Our aim has  
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is necessary to sacrifice odd lines regardless of cost. Spring  
is coming and rubbers and overshoes will be put aside—  
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You can get style and quality at the price of a working  
boot. Spring goods are coming in and we want the room, so  
that is partly the reason of these tempting prices.

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CHOICE TRIMMED LEGS AND LOINS OF PORK, lb. 20c  
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